

PATENT Docket No.: **19603/1559 (CRF D-2052C)** 

## IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

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**PLANTS** 

AMENDMENT UNDER 37 CFR § 1.312

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Dear Sir:

In response to the Examiner's Amendment mailed November 19, 2003, applicants submit that there is a discrepancy between the amendments agreed to in the October 31, 2003, telephone interview between Examiner Kubelik and applicants' undersigned attorney and the November 19, 2003, Examiner's Amendment. In particular, in comparison to how they were presented in the August 11, 2003, Supplemental Amendment, claims 104, 105, and 122 should be amended as follows:

- 104. (Currently Amended) The DNA construct according to claim 102, wherein said second DNA molecule is selected from the group consisting of a viral DNA molecule, a fluorescence protein encoding DNA molecule, and embinations a combination thereof.
- 105. (Currently Amended) The DNA construct according to claim 102, wherein said fragment of the first DNA molecule and the second DNA molecule encode RNA molecules which are translatable.